"DOCTOR WHO"

SERIAL 6N

'FRONTIOS'

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EPISODE 2

TELECINE:

SUPOSE CAM Opening Titles:

END TELECINE.

2A, 4A, 3A

1. EXT. THE HIGH STREET. DAY 2.

50. 4A / (TEGAN IS STARING AGHAST AT THE HALF BURIED HATSTAND)

Tegan into 2/S with Turlough

TEGAN: But the Tardis can't just disintegrate.

/2 NEXT/

/SHOT 50 ON CAM. 50/

51. 2A M/S — TURLOUGH: Well, it has!/

Doctor

He turns into group shot

(THE DOCTOR TURNS TO THE HOSTILE-LOOKING GATHERING OF COLONISTS WHO SURROUND THEM.

BRAZEN, PLANTAGENET AND HIS ORDERLIES ARE ADVANCING.

ONE OF THE ORDERLIES HAS UNHITCHED HIS SHOTGUN)/

52. 3A M/S

Doctor

THE DOCTOR: (SEEING THIS) Marvellous! You're going to kill us. What a finely-tuned response to the situation./

53. 2 2/S

Brazen/Plant.

(BRAZEN AND PLANTAGENET LOOK AT EACH OTHER AND AT THE SHOTGUN.

A MOMENT OF MOUNTING TENSION)

/4 NEXT/

BRAZEN: Best to despatch him

54. 4 G/S now./

(NORNA RUNS FORWARD IN FRONT OF PLANTAGENET)

NORNA: Wait!

PLANTAGENET: Step out of the way.

55. 3 2/S THE DOCTOR: Norna - be careful./
Norna/Range

NORNA: (TO PLANTAGENET) Why did Captain Revere dedicate the whole of his life to analysing

56. 2 2/S the rocks of Frontios?/
Brazen/Plant.

BRAZEN: Remove her.

PLANTAGENET: No, wait! Why do you ask when the reason is well known. My father sought the precious minerals beneath

57. 3 2/S the soil./
A/B

NORNA: What precious minerals?

58. 2 M/S Did he find any?/
Plantagenet

PLANTAGENET: He knew there must be some cause for this perpetual carnage our

59. 3 2/S neighbours inflict on us./
A/B

NORNA: If the Doctor is an invader, he has the answer to

60. 4 G/S that question./
A/B

(MR RANGE EDGES FORWARD, ANXIOUS TO DISENTANGLE HIS DAUGHTER FROM THE INCIDENT)

/3 NEXT/

/SHOT 60 on CAM. 4/

Norna,
RANGE: I need some help with the lighting... please.

(BRAZEN WHISPERS TO PLANTAGENET.

THE YOUNG RULER LISTENS, THEN:)

PLANTAGENET: (POINTING TO TEGAN) You go./

61. 3 2/S
Tegan/Doctor

TEGAN: I don't know anything about lighting.

BRAZEN: Go on - get a move on.

(THE ORDERLY RAISES THE SHOTGUN)

THE DOCTOR: We'd better do as they say. (ASIDE TO HER) We're quite safe as long as we keep calm. Trust me./

62. 4 G/S
A/B

(SHE STOMPS OFF, FOLLOWED BY ONE OF THE BURLY ORDERLIES.

PLANTAGENET TURNS TO THE DOCTOR)

PLANTAGENET: Well, Doctor? Can you enlighten us as to the cause of these bombardments? /

63. 3 M/S
Doctor

THE DOCTOR: In time, if you let me investigate. On the other hand, if you're going to kill me, you'd better get on with it./

64. 2 M/S
Plantagenet

(THE GUN-BEARER LOOKS TO PLANTAGENET FOR A DECISION.

PLANTAGENET TURNS TO BRAZEN FOR HIS ADVICE.

BUT THE BIG MAN'S FACE IS IMPASSIVE - IT IS FOR THE LEADER TO DECIDE)

65. 4 G/S

PLANTAGENET: (AFTER A MOMENT) Kill him. /

THE DOCTOR: That wasn't what I had in mind at all.

(PLANTAGENET NODS TO THE ORDERLY WITH THE SHOTGUN, THEN TURNS ABRUPTLY AND WALKS AWAY.

NORNA GRABS FOR THE GUN, GRAPPLING WITH ITS OWNER)

NORNA: No! (cont...)

66. 3 M/S Turlough

/(WE NOTICE THAT TURLOUGH IS LOOKING ROUND URGENTLY FOR A WEAPON. HIS EYE LIGHTS ON THE HATSTAND.

HE GRABS AT IT, TRYING TO TUG IT OUT OF THE RUBBLE. /

67. 4 G/S

TWO ORDERLIES GRAB THE DOCTOR.

OTHER ORDERLIES MANAGE TO PRISE NORNA AWAY FROM THE GUN. THE GUN-BEARER RAISES HIS WEAPON, AND IS ABOUT TO AIM WHEN A REMARKABLE THING HAPPENS. /

68. 3 Turlough + hatstand

AS THE HATSTAND COMES LOOSE FROM THE RUBBLE AN ENORMOUS BALL OF LIGHT WHOOSHES FROM IT.

TURLOUGH STANDS WITH THE HATSTAND RAISED, AS ASTONISHED AS ANYBODY AT THE PHENOMENON) /

69. 4 G/S

SHOT 69 on CAM. 4

NORNA: What was that???

THE DOCTOR: Residual energy from the Tardis./

70. 2 2/S
Plant./Brazen

(IN PUZZLING OVER THE MATHEMATICS OF THE MISSILES THE DOCTOR DOESN'T NOTICE AT FIRST THAT THE COLONISTS HAVE SHRUNK BACK IN ALARM.

PLANTAGENT TOUCHES BRAZEN'S ARM)

PLANTAGENET: (INDICATING THE HATSTAND) What's that?

BRAZEN: (STEPPING BACK) The thing that brings down the bombardment?

(ONLY PLANTAGENET STANDS HIS GROUND, ALTHOUGH HE LOOKS PALE AND FAINT)/

71. 3
Turlough + hatstand

4 D, 1L

2. INT. THE MEDICAL SHELTER. DAY 2.

257. 1L W/S / (THE ORDERLY THAT BRAZEN SET TO WATCH TEGAN AND MR. RANGE STANDS SILHOUETTED IN THE DOORWAY AT THE TOP OF THE STEPS.

Shelter

Track back + R. with Paramedic to 3/S with Range/Tegan

WITH CONSTANT REFERENCE TO THE SKETCH THE DOCTOR MADE, MR. RANGE AND ONE OF HIS PARAMEDICS ARE CAREFULLY REMOVING THE ELECTRODES FROM THE BATTERY.

ANOTHER PARAMEDIC IS MEASURING OUT LENGTHS OF CABLE TO CONNECT THE GENERATOR TO THE PHOSPOR LAMPS THAT TEGAN IS SETTING UP AROUND THE WALLS)

RANGE: More acid. Up to about here ...

(CAUTIOUSLY THE PARAMEDIC BEGINS TO UNCORK A LARGE BOTTLE OF SOME OILY FUMING LIQUID.

MR. RANGE CAREFULLY WIPES DOWN THE ELECTRODES AND BEGINS TO CONNECT THEM UP TO THE WIRE)

/4 NEXT/

SHOT 257 on CAM 1

TEGAN: That battery had better work, after all our efforts.

RANGE: It's in good condition. We're just topping it up./

258. 4D MCU
Tegan

(TEGAN STRUCK BY A SUDDEN THOUGHT)

TEGAN: The Doctor is safe out there?/

259. 1 2/S
Range/Tegan

RANGE: For the time-being, but Death is a daily occurrence on this planet. As you can see. This constant state of panic... the growing number of Rets...

TEGAN: Rets?

RANGE: Retrogrades. It's what we call the deserters. More leave every day to hunt out in the wastes like animals.

Keep Tegan in as she comes L.

TEGAN: The Orderlies shoot deserters.

Rise with Range

RANGE: If they have to. A waste of life, but discipline is paramount.

TEGAN: Discipline! Every death increases the danger of extinction!

SHOT 259 on CAM 1

RANGE: You think I'm not aware of that?

Track L. with Tegan and pan her to pillar to 2/S with patient

(TEGAN MOVES TO FIX A LIGHT

SUDDENLY SHE STOPS AND GASPS WITH SHOCK.

ONE OF THE INJURED COLONISTS LYING ON A BED BY THE STEPS HAS GRABBED HER BY THE HAND. DESPITE HIS DEADLY PALLOR AND EVIDENT NEARNESS TO DEATH OR PERHAPS BECAUSE OF IT, HIS FINGERS HOLD HER IN A STEELY GRIP.

HE IS TRYING TO SPEAK, BUT THE WORDS WON'T FORM IN THE DRY THROAT. HE IS PLEADING FOR HER HELP.

TEGAN TAKES HIS OTHER HAND AND LEANS OVER HIM.

TEGAN TURNS TO RANGE)

(EFFICIENTLY) Water. He needs some water.

2A, 4A, 3A

3. EXT. THE HIGH STREET. DAY 2.

72. 4A G/S / (PLANTAGENET IS CONFRONTING THE DOCTOR.

TURLOUGH STILL HOLDS THE HATSTAND, GRADUALLY BECOMING AWARE THAT THE COLONIST SEEM TO REGARD IT AS A FORMIDABLE WEAPON)

PLANTAGENET: Now at last the Colonists of Frontios are face to

73. 2A M/S face with their persecutors./ For my father's sake I would like the question answered, Doctor./

Plantagenet

74. 3A M/S /

Doctor

THE DOCTOR: That precious rocks under the soil business? Well, so would I. Whatever's going on here has put paid

75. 2 M/S to my Tardis./

A/B

PLANTAGENET: You deny making

76. 3 M/S war on us?/

A/B

THE DOCTOR: If it is war - and I'm not so sure about that - you and I, Plantagenet, are stuck

77. 4 in the same shell-hole./ (cont...)

A/B

(HE WEIGHS THE MISSILE FRAGMENTS IN HIS HAND, TO NORNA)

/SHOT 77 on CAM. 4/

THE DOCTOR: (cont) Does anybody actually know where these are coming from.

NORNA: One of the other planets in the Veruna System.

BRAZEN: Without instruments we can't ascertain which one.

THE DOCTOR: This rock analysis thing? You've been looking into the whyfores. I think we should investigate the where froms. Mr Range tells me you have a Research Room.

/2 NEXT/

/SHOT 77 on CAM. 4/

BRAZEN: But is has been sealed off on the orders of the late Captain.

78. 2 M/S — THE DOCTOR: Well, if you want answers you'd better unseal it./
Plantagenet

PLANTAGENET: The room contains nothing that can be of benefit to us. /

79. 3 2/S
Turlough/
Doctor

/4 NEXT/

/SHOT 79 on CAM. 3/ - 2/12 -

TURLOUGH: That's not true. It's full of invaluable equipment.

THE DOCTOR: You've been inside it? /

80. 4 2/S
Doctor/Turlough

TURLOUGH: It's where we found the battery. It's got everything you need for chemical analysis.

THE DOCTOR: But my dear Turlough, if these people don't want us inside, I don't see how...

TURLOUGH: I think I know how to change their minds. /

81. 3
Turlough/Doctor + hatstand

(HE RAISES THE HATSTAND AND POINTS IT DIRECTLY AT PLANTAGENET.

THE YOUNG LEADER PALES) /

82. 2 M/S
Plantagenet

PLANTAGENET: Order the Research Room to be opened.

1J, 3H

4. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

260. 1J 3/S / MR RANGE AND TEGAN STAND OVER THE BED OF THE DYING COLONIST.

Range/Tegan/
Patient

RANGE: (TO TEGAN) Thank you. You can get back to your work now.

TEGAN: It's no good is it?

261. 3H W/S RANGE: I'm afraid not. /

with acid jar
f/g

(TEGAN GOES BACK TO WHERE SHE WAS FIXING UP THE LIGHTING.

SHOT 261 on CAM 3/ 2/- 14 -

WE NOTICE THAT
THE ACID IN THE
UNTENDED ACID JAR
HAS BEGUN TO
BUBBLE DANGEROUSLY)

1C, 2D (OUTSIDE RESEARCH ROOM)

5. INT. THE COLONY SHIP CORRIDORS. DAY 2.

284. 1C G/S / (SLEDGEHAMMERS ARE SMASHING DOWN THE WALLED-UP ENTRANCE TO THE RESEARCH ROOM.

THE DOCTOR AND PLANTAGENET ARE STANDING IN THE CORRIDOR WITH NORNA AND BRAZEN.

TURLOUGH IS BEHIND THEM, STILL HOLDING THE THREATENING HATSTAND)

TURLOUGH: Hurry up.

(THE DOCTOR GINGERLY STEPS OUT OF THE HATSTAND'S LINE OF FIRE)

THE DOCTOR: Careful with that thing.

(THE LAST FEW SLEDGEHAMMER BLOWS ARE STRUCK.

PLANTAGENET LOOKS AT THE HATSTAND, AND EXCHANGES A GLANCE WITH BRAZEN, BUT THE OTHER'S EXPRESSION TACTLY SAYS "DON'T TRY ANYTHING, IT'S TOO DANGEROUS'.

THE COLONISTS WITH THE SLEDGEHAMMERS STEP ASIDE FOR THE DOCTOR.

/2 NEXT/

/SHOT 284 on CAM. 1/ - 2/16 -

285. 2D C/U / WE NOTICE PLANTAGENET SURREPTITIOUSLY TAKE ONE OF THE SLEDGEHAMMERS AS WE GO WITH THE DOCTOR THROUGH INTO:)

Crowbar as Plantagenet takes it

1B,2B

6. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY 2.

136. 2B 3/S /(THE DOCTOR ENTERS, FOLLOWED BY NORNA, BRAZEN AND PLANTAGENET.

Doctor/Norna/Brazen

THE DOCTOR IS SURVEYING THE EQUIPMENT)

THE DOCTOR: Well, here we are. This should keep us busy.

(TO TURLOUGH)

137. 1B 2/S You can help./

Turlough/ Plantagenet

TURLOUGH: I don't know anything about mineral tests.

138. 2 /

A/B

NORNA: I do.

THE DOCTOR: Good. I want to run a series on halides and silica.

(TO TURLOUGH INDICATING THE HATSTAND)

Pan Doctor U/S and R. to inc. Turlough

And do stop waving that thing around.

(SUDDENLY NORNA CRIES OUT)

139. 1 2/S NORNA: Look out!/

Turlough/Plant.

SHOT 139 on CAM. 1

TURLOUGH SWINGS ROUND AND ACCIDENTLY GIVES PLANTAGENET A GLANCING BLOW FROM THE HAT STAND)

PLANTAGENET: (SCREAMS) No.

Pan down with Plantagenet

(MYSTERIOUSLY PLANTAGENET GIVES A MOAN OF PAIN AND CRUMPLES TO THE FLOOR./

140. 2 G/S

(BRAZEN MOVES MENACINGLY FORWARD, BUT TURLOUGH FORCES HIM BACK BY THREATENING HIM WITH THE HATSTAND)

TURLOUGH: I wouldn't.

What did I do?

(BUT LIKE THE OTHERS, TURLOUGH IS SHOCKED AT THE SIGHT OF PLANTAGENET LIFELESS ON THE FLOOR.

A MOMENT OF DANGER.

SHOT 140 on CAM. 2 - 2/ 19 -

THE TENSION IS SHATTERED BY THE DOCTOR, WHO GRABS THE HATSTAND FROM TURLOUGH AND SETS IT UPRIGHT IN THE PROPER POSITION)

THE DOCTOR: This joke's gone far enough.

(THE DOCTOR SWIFTLY PEELS OFF HIS COAT, HANGS IT ON ONE OF THE PEGS AND KNEELS DOWN TO ATTEND TO PLANTAGENET)

Pan Doctor to Plantagenet

1L, 3J, 2J, 6B

7. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

262. 1 L G/S /

Range + stretcher party

(GLIMPSES OF A BODY BEING CARRIED AWAY ON A STRETCHER.

THE BED OF THE COLONIST WE SAW DYING IS NOW EMPTY. MR RANGE STANDS OVER IT, MAKING NOTES ON A CLIPBOARD.

Crab R. + Pan R. with Range seeing Tegan b/g

HE CROSSES TO A FILING CABINET. WE NOTICE TEGAN HAS CLIMBED ON TOP OF IT TO CONNECT UP THE WIRING. /

263. 3J 2/S

Range/Tegan

WITH A KEY ON A CHAIN AT HIS BELT, MR RANGE UNLOCKS THE CABINET AND SLIDES OPEN A DRAWER.

TEGAN GLANCES DOWN AND SEES HIM MAKING NOTES IN A FILE.

AS HE CLOSES THE FILE WE CATCH ITS TITLE: 'DEATHS: ACCOUNTABLE".

Let Range out

SUDDENLY THERE IS A CRY FROM THE "Mr. Range"

264. 1 /

Range into 2/S with Paramedic + acid jar

PARAMEDIC. THE ACID JAR IS BUBBLING OVER, AND IT'S STICKY, FUMING CONTENTS ARE TRICKLING OVER THE FLOOR.

/3 NEXT/

/SHOT 264 on CAM 1/ 2/- 21 -

265. 3 M/S — MR RANGE RUSHES TO HELP THE PARAMEDIC./

Tegan

TEGAN CLIMBS DOWN AND PICKS UP THE FILE. ("DEATHS ACCOUNTABLE")

CUT AWAY

Tegan picks up file.

AS SHE DOES SO THE FOLDER UNDERNEATH IT CATCHES HER EYE.

Zoom in on title

ITS TITLE IS: "DEATHS: UNACCOUNTABLE")

266. 2J MCU — /TEGAN: (UNDER HER BREATH) Unaccountable?

Tegan

/Q LAMPS TO BRIGHTEN/

267. 3 M/S — (THE LIGHT SHE HAS JUST BEEN SETTING UP FLASHES ON AS MR RANGE RAMS THE ELECTRODES INTO THE ACID JAR.

Tegan + drawer

268. 1 M/S — THE INTERRUPTER OF THE GENERATOR IS CLICKING NOW.

Range + acid jar

GUILTILY, TEGAN DROPS THE FILES BACK IN THE DRAWER AND PUSHES IT SHUT. SHE LOOKS OVER TO MR RANGE BY THE ACID JAR, BUT HE SEEMS TOO BUSY MOPPING UP THE AFTERMATH OF THE SPILLAGE TO NOTICE HER ACTIVITIES.

269. 3 M/S

A/B

she turns

270. 2 MCU — BUT WHEN SHE TRIES TO OPEN THE DRAWER AGAIN SHE FINDS IT IS LOCKED)

Tegan

Oh, rabbits!

CUT AWAY SHOTS

271. 6B H/A — FILE: "Deaths Accountable"

Tegan's P.O.V.

2B

8. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY 2.

141. 2 B — 3/S — / (THE DOCTOR HAS PULLED OPEN PLANTAGENET'S SHIRT, EXPOSING A TERRIBLE BRUISE ON HIS CHEST)

Doctor/Brazen/
Plantagenet

(HE PUTS HIS EAR TO PLANTAGENET'S HEART)

THE DOCTOR: The Medical Shelter. Quickly.

BRAZEN: So he was hit.

THE DOCTOR: Delayed effect of a glancing blow.

(TO TURLOUGH AND NORNA)

Pan Doctor to 3/S with Turlough/Norna

Stay here. Set up those tests.

(BRAZEN SIGNALS TO SOME ORDERLIES TO CARRY OUT PLANTAGENET)

Pan Doctor out

4D, 1L, 3J, 2J

9. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

272. 2J M/S / (TEGAN IS TRYING TO PICK THE LOCK OF THE FILING CABINET WITH A SCALPEL.

Tegan

273. 3J CU

Hand
2nd hand comes in

SUDDENLY A HAND CLAMPS AROUND HER WRIST)

274. 2 2/S /

Tegan/Range

RANGE: What do you think you're doing?

TEGAN: I... I'm trying to get the drawer open, if you really want to know.

crab L. as they come round

(MR RANGE PRISES THE SCALPEL FROM HER FINGERS.

TEGAN PRESSES BACK AGAINST THE FILING CABINET, FEELING THREATENED BY THE STEELY BLADE)

RANGE: Curiosity is dangerous on Frontios.

TEGAN: (TRYING TO SOUND BRAVE) Not as dangerous as ignorance. /

275. 3 MCU

Range

RANGE: (SHAKEN) Do you know something? What have you seen? /

276. 2 MCU

Tegan

TEGAN: "Deaths Unaccountable"/

277. 3 MCU A/B /

/2 NEXT/

SHOT 277 on CAM 3

(MR RANGE PALES.

HE LOWERS THE SCALPEL AND GLANCES TOWARDS THE ORDERLY GUARDING THE DOOR)

RANGE: (WHISPERING) Forget you ever saw the file./

278. 2 2/S A/B

(HIS NERVOUSNESS REASSURES TEGAN.

SHE BEGINS TO REASSERT HERSELF)

TEGAN: There's something going on here, isn't there? Some racket you're into.

(THE DOCTOR HURRIES DOWN THE STEPS FOLLOWED BY BRAZEN, WHO IS CARRYING PLANTAGENET)

Let Tegan out

279. 1 M/S Doctor — THE DOCTOR: Tegan!/ Quickly, those wires./

280. 4 O/S 3/S fav. Tegan/Range — TEGAN: What about them?

THE DOCTOR: Rip them down.

TEGAN: But I've just put them up./

281. 1 A/B

THE DOCTOR: Jolly good. Now you can rip them down again!

(TO MR RANGE)

Pan Doctor to bed

Damp cloths. Anything damp.

1 B

10. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY. 2.

142. 1 B / (NORNA IS ASSEMBLING DISTILLATION EQUIPMENT ON THE BENCH.

Norna into 2/S with Turlough (hatstand b/g)

TURLOUGH IS HELPING HER IN A DISTRACTED WAY BY BRINGING HER VARIOUS ITEMS AS SHE POINTS THEM OUT)

TURLOUGH: I wouldn't put up with it.

NORNA: We've got to. We don't have the technology to go anywhere else.

(TURLOUGH LOOKS WISTFULLY AT THE HATSTAND)

TURLOUGH: Yes, I'm beginning to know the feeling.

1J, 3H

11. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

282. 1J 4/S /

Brazen/Doctor Tegan/Plant.

BRAZEN: What's the matter with him?

THE DOCTOR: Fibrillating.

Range in

TEGAN: What?

let Range out

RANGE: (RETURNING WITH THE CLOTHS) It's his heart. The Doctor's going to get it going again.

(THE DOCTOR AND BRAZEN HAVE LAID PLANTAGENET OUT

RANGE IS STANDING BY BESIDE THE ACID JAR, READY TO MAKE THE CONNECTION WHEN THE DOCTOR GIVES THE SIGNAL.

THE TRAIL OF WIRES RUNS ACROSS FROM THE GENERATOR TO WHERE THE DOCTOR KNEELS OVER THE YOUNG RULER.

THE DOCTOR OVER HIS SHOULDER TO MR RANGE)

283. 3 H M/S THE DOCTOR: Are we ready?/ Now!

Range + acid jar

2 B

12. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY 2.

143. 2 B 2/S / Norna/Turlough

TURLOUGH: Why didn't you dig deep bunkers? The Arar-Jecks of Heiradi hollowed out a large subterranean city under their planet during the twenty eon war.

NORNA: There was a quarry where the stone came from to build the medical shelter. They converted it into a place to get away from the bombardment.

TURLOUGH: Sounds sensible.

Let Turlough U/S

NORNA: When I was very small we always used to go there to shelter. And then all that got stopped.

TURLOUGH: Why?

NORNA: Captain Revere made a law against it.

TURLOUGH: As simple as that? A law?

NORNA: Forbidding any digging in the ground...

Let Turlough sit to 2/S fav. Norna

TURLOUGH: But there must have been a reason?

SHOT 143 on CAM. 2

NORNA: Captain Revere never gave reasons. (SUDDENLY REMEMBERING) Except...Once when I was little I was sitting on his knee in the State Room, and I asked why we couldn't go below the ground any more. He said...

(SHE TRIES TO REMEMBER)

It was a child's answer...It seemed quite sensible at the time.

TURLOUGH: What did he say?

NORNA: He said ... he said the earth was ... hungry.

1J, 3H

13. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

284. 1J 4/S /(THE DOCTOR SHOUTS ACROSS TO MR RANGE, WHO IS STANDING BY THE ACID JAR)

285. 3H M/S THE DOCTOR: Again! /
Range

(MR RANGE RECONNECTS A WIRE TO ONE OF THE ELECTRODES. /

286. 1 M/S ON THE BED PLANTAGENET'S BODY GOES RIGID WITH THE SHOCK)
Plantagenet

1B, 2B

14. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY 2.

144. 1B 2/S / (NORNA IS RUNNING HER FIRST TEST AND MAKING NOTES.

Norna/Turlough

TURLOUGH IS STILL HELPING HER, BUT HIS ATTENTION KEEPS STRAYING AROUND THE ROOM, PARTICULARLY TO THE MINERAL SAMPLES ON THE SHELVES.

TURLOUGH HANDS HER A FLASK. IT OBVIOUSLY ISN'T WHAT SHE HAS ASKED FOR)

NORNA: That's not a pressure filter.

TURLOUGH: Sorry... I was just wondering...these rocks.

NORNA: What about them?

Dev. to deep 2/S as Turlough goes U/S

TURLOUGH: They're all labelled. With dates. They must have come from somewhere.

NORNA: They did - the quarry.

(TURLOUGH IS LOOKING FROM THE FLOOR TO THE CEILING AND BACK AGAIN.

SUDDENLY HE STARTS SHINNING UP THE TO THE OVERHEAD BEAM)

SHOT 144 on CAM. 1

TURLOUGH: (AS HE CLIMBS) The dates are recent. According to you the quarry's been closed for years.

(TURLOUGH PUSHES OPEN THE DOOR IN THE ROOF)

4E, 1J, 3H

15. INT. THE MEDICAL SHELTER. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

287. 4 E G/S /(PLANTAGENET LIES STILL. BRAZEN CONFRONTS THE DOCTOR ACROSS THE BED)

Pan up with Brazen + Doctor

BRAZEN: (IN AN AWED WHISPER) You've killed him./

288. 3 H M/S

Range rising

289. 1 J M/S /(A DEEP SIGH DRAWS THEIR ATTENTION DOWN TO THE OCCUPANT OF THE BED.

Plantagenet

PLANTAGENET OPENS HIS EYES)/

290. 4 2/S

Brazen/Range

THE DOCTOR: It was certainly touch and go for a moment.

4B, 3B, 6E

16. INT. RESEARCH ROOM DAY 2.

145. 4B M/S /

Turlough + black + tackle

146. 3B M/S /

Norna

147. 4 M/S NORNA: What are you up to ? /

Turlough + block + tackle

TURLOUGH: They obviously didn't install this just for us. /

148. 6E M/S /

Norna

NORNA: It's for lifting equipment. /

149. 4 /

A/B

TURLOUGH: What equipment. What's so heavy in here that needs a pulley and tackle? /

150. 6 M/S /

Norna

Let her out

1J, 6C

17. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY. 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

CUT-AWAY (THE FACES OF THE DOCTOR AND TEGAN, AS SEEN FROM PLANTAGENET'S POINT OF VIEW, SWIM INTO FOCUS)

291. 1 J 4/S / THE DOCTOR: Try to get some rest.

Doctor/Brazen
Range/Plant.

(ON SEEING THE DOCTOR, PLANTEGENT STRUGGLES TO GET UP)

PLANTAGENET: (WEAKLY) Rest? Death is the only rest you bring to Frontios.

(BRAZEN LEANS FORWARD)

BRAZEN: Don't exert yourself, Leader. We're in control of the situation.

PLANTAGENET: I have responsibilities. Frontios depends on me.

SHOT 291 on CAM 1 2/- 35 -

BRAZEN: Nevertheless, I think you should take the Doctor's advice.

PLANTAGENET: You've changed your mind about him?

BRAZEN: I wouldn't necessarily commit myself on that, Leader. But the fact is, it was the Doctor that saved your life.

(PLANTAGENET TRIES TO LIFT HIMSELF TO PEER CLOSELY AT THE DOCTOR)

TEGAN: The Doctor's alright. You must have realised that by now.

PLANTAGENET: Saved my life? Is this true?

THE DOCTOR: Not a word to the Time Lords.

CUT-AWAY SHOT

292. 6 C 3/S

Doctor/Tegan
Brazen
(defocused)

focus up

(THE FACES OF THE DOCTOR AND TEGAN, AS SEEN FROM PLANTAGENET'S P.O.V., SWIM INTO FOCUS)

1B,4B, 3B

18. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY 2.

151. 3B MLS / (NORNA IS MAKING COPIOUS NOTES AS SHE CHECKS THE MISSILE SAMPLE)
Turlough

152. 1B Deep 2/S /
Norna/Turlough

NORNA: Very ingenious.

(TURLOUGH IS OCCUPIED WITH HIS OWN INVESTIGATIONS.

HE HAS LOWERED THE HOOK AT THE END OF THE BLOCK AND TACKLE AND NOW HE IS PULLING THE BLOCK AND TACKLE ALONG THE OVERHEAD BEAM, SCANNING THE FLOOR BENEATH IT)

TURLOUGH: The block and tackle's a simple enough invention.

NORNA: I mean you and your excuses to get out of helping.

TURLOUGH: How long ago were you actually in this Research Room?

NORNA: When I was small. I came here with my father when he was still Captain Revere's personal Science Assistant.

/4 NEXT/

SHOT 152 on CAM. 1

TURLOUGH: And was this up there then?

(HE INDICATES THE BLOCK AND TACKLE)

NORNA: No.

153. 4B M/S
Turlough

TURLOUGH: Exactly. These floor plates are solid metal. Heavy solid metal. Norna, over here.

(TURLOUGH HAS FOUND SOMETHING. HE KNEELS DOWN AND INSPECTS THE FLOOR.

Norna into 2/S

NORNA STOPS HER WORK AND COMES OVER TO HIM)

NORNA: What is it?

TURLOUGH: We're about to find out where Captain Revere got his rock collection.
(HE PULLS A LARGE METAL PLUG OUT OF THE FLOOR, REVEALING A RING BOLTED INTO THE PANEL)

154. 3 CU
Ring

This goes in here.

(TURLOUGH PLACES THE HOOK IN THE RING)

155. 4 2/S
A/B

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4E, 1J

19. INT. THE MEDICAL SHELTER. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTEI

293. 1 J 2/S /(BRAZEN IS ORGANISING MR. RANGE AND THE PARAMEDICS. THE DOCTOR IS SITTING ON PLANTAGENET'S BED)

Plantagenet/ Doctor

PLANTAGENET: So you see, Doctor ... Frontios is not the

294. 4 E M/S easiest planet to rule./

Doctor with Brazen/ Range in b/g

THE DOCTOR: After nearly thirty years of bombardments. Yes, I take your point.

(TEGAN COMES BACK TO THE BEDSIDE, PLUMPING UP A CLEAN PILLOW TO GO UNDER PLANTAGENET'S HEAD)

Let Tegan in to 2/S

TEGAN: Your bloke Brazen

295. 1 MCU doesn't trust us an inch./

Plantagenet

PLANTAGENET: He's a good man. If rather narrow in his

296. 4 MCU outlook./

Tegan

TEGAN: He's planning to move you to your quarters in

297. 1 2/S the colony ship./

A/B

PLANTAGENET: Colony ship! No, I must stay here, with

298. 4 3/S my people./

Doctor/Range/ Brazen

/1 NEXT/

/SHOT 298 on CAM 4/ 2/- 40 -

299. 1 MCU A/B

THE DOCTOR: The democratic touch, eh?/

PLANTAGENET: Hardly democracy, Doctor. I must remain in public sight. If for one moment the Colonists of Frontios think I am dead... there will be anarchy./

300. 4 3/S A/B

3B

20. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY 2.

156. 3B 2/S / (TURLOUGH AND NORNA STRAIN TOGETHER ON THE BLOCK AND TACKLE)
Norna/Turlough

NORNA: Come on, pull.

TURLOUGH: What do you think I'm doing.

(SLOWLY THE WHOLE SECTION OF FLOORING LIFTS UP ON A HINGE, REVEALING A DARK HOLE.

TURLOUGH TIES OFF THE TACKLE. NORNA APPROACHES THE HOLE, DIRECTING THE LIGHT OF A PHOSPOR LAMP INTO IT)

NORNA: What is it?

TURLOUGH: Let's find out.

4 E, 1 J, 3 K

21. INT. THE MEDICAL SHELTER. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

301. 1 J G/S / (THE DOCTOR IS SHOWING ONE OF THE MISSILE FRAGMENTS TO PLANTAGENET)

THE DOCTOR: ... and what's making you so vulnerable to attack is the thin atmosphere on Frontios.

PLANTAGENET: But why do they come so frequently now?

THE DOCTOR: I have some theories about that. And with your permission I'll go back to the Research Room and confirm them.

(PLANTAGENET LIES BACK, PALE FROM THE ACCIDENT AND CLEARLY IN NEED OF SLEEP)

PLANTAGENET: Thank you, Doctor.

302. 3 K M/S THE DOCTOR: Tegan./
Plantagenet

PLANTAGENET: Your assistant may stay here with me. Then we'll
303. 4 E 2/S all trust one another./
Doctor/Range

THE DOCTOR: Then perhaps you'll come with me, Mr Range.

304. 3 5/S RANGE: Yes, of course./
fav. Plant.

THE DOCTOR: Good. We'll see you later.

SHOT 304 on CAM 3 - 2/43 -

Pan Doctor/Range to steps

(THE DOCTOR AND MR RANGE MAKE FOR THE STEPS.

Brazen into shot

BRAZEN BECKONS TO ONE OF THE ORDERLIES)

Push in with him to 2/S with orderly

BRAZEN: (IN A LOW VOICE)
Keep an eye on them.

3A,2A

22. INT. EXCAVATION AREA. DAY 2.

19. 3A / (NORNA STANDS BY THE EDGE OF THE EXCAVATION AREA, HOLDING A COUPLE OF THE PHOSPHOR LIGHTS.

Turlough/Norna climb down into 2/S

TURLOUGH IS ALREADY INSIDE THE PIT)

TURLOUGH: Careful.

(HE REACHES UP TO HELP NORNA DESCEND INTO:)

/RUN ON/

/2 NEXT/

/SHOT 19 on CAM 3/ - 2/45 -

23. INT. EXCAVATION AREA. DAY 2.

(WE RECOGNISE THE AREA FROM THE COLLAPSED PIT PROPS.

WE MAY NOTICE TOO, ALTHOUGH THE TWO FRIENDS DO NOT, THE INDENTATION MADE BY CAPTAIN REVERE'S BODY)

Pan them L.

TURLOUGH: (INSPECTING THE WALL) This rock's...sort of moth-eaten.

(THERE IS A SUDDEN SMALL LANDSLIDE, MORE FRIGHTENING THAN DANGEROUS.

Let her out

Look, there's a way through.

20. 2A M/S (NOTICING TURLOUGH'S FACE)/
Norna

21. 3 M/S Don't tell me you're frightened./
Turlough

SHOT 21 on CAM 3 - 2/46 -

Pan him to 2/S

TURLOUGH: No, it's just... like something I remember.

(TURLOUGH IS DRAWN INTO THE TUNNEL, AS IF BY A STRANGE FASCINATION.

Hold shot as they disappear

NORNA FOLLOWS HIM)

1J

24. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

305. 1 J / (PLANTAGENET IS ASLEEP.

Brazen into 3/S with Tegan/Plant.

TEGAN STANDS LOOKING AT HIM FOR A MOMENT.

BRAZEN JOINS HER)

BRAZEN: He'll fill out - find his strength. I watched his father grow the same. The odds were terrible against the Captain, but he held this Colony together with a will of steel.

TEGAN: I'm beginning to see the problems of this planet. With so many deaths - accountable and unaccountable.

BRAZEN: What do you know about deaths unaccountable?

TEGAN: Just a phrase I came across.

BRAZEN: Came across where?

TEGAN: I don't know... Maybe I heard it.

BRAZEN: (GRABBING HER ARM) Or saw it in some records.

SHOT 305 on CAM 1

2/ - 48 -

TEGAN: Oh, you know about the data store then?

(BRAZEN PUSHES HER ALONG IN FRONT OF HIM)

BRAZEN: Data store? Show me.

Let Brazen/ Tegan go

(BRAZEN MARCHES TEGAN OUT OF SHOT.

WE LET THEM GO AND REMAIN WITH THE UNCONSCIOUS PLANTAGENET)

TEGAN: (OUT OF VIEW) I could be wrong. Maybe I read it in a book somewhere. "Deaths Unaccountable" - I think that was the title.

(SOMETHING STRANGE IS HAPPENING TO PLANTAGENET.

HIS ARM, HANGING LOOSELY ALONG THE EDGE OF THE BED, SUDDENLY BEGINS TO TWITCH, AS IF JERKED BY AN UNSEEN THREAD)

(OUT OF VIEW) Hey, you can't do that to Mr. Range's medical records.

(PLANTAGENET'S HAND FALLS TOWARDS THE FLOOR, SOME UNSEEN FORCE DRAGGING IT DOWN.

SHOT 305 on CAM 1 2/- 49 -

WE HEAR THE SOUND
OF BRAZEN BATTERING
AT THE CABINET)

1C, 2D

(OUTSIDE RESEARCH ROOM)

25. INT. THE COLONY SHIP CORRIDORS. DAY 2.

286. 2D 2/S /

THE DOCTOR: You know, Mr Range, if I'm right these so-called missiles of yours are nothing more nor less than natural meteorites.

RANGE: ... Meteorites? In such quantities?

THE DOCTOR: Unusual, I grant you. One of the Veruna planets may have disintegrated, with long-term fall-out.

RANGE: ... Surely Captain Revere could have detected that?

THE DOCTOR: I think he did.

(HE STOPS AT THE DOOR OF THE RESEARCH ROOM, EXAMINING A BROKEN CONTROL PANEL)/

287. 1C 2/S

What puzzles me is how the ship ... managed to crash in the first place. With all this autonymous guidance.

RANGE: ... The systems failed.

THE DOCTOR: Before the crash?

SHOT 287 on CAM. 1 - 2/50A -

RANGE: ... Without the failure there would have been no crash, Doctor. The guidance systems ... everything ... all went together!

THE DOCTOR: (THOUGHTFULLY) Did they now ... I see why you call it the Day of Catastrophe.

(THEY GO INTO)

1B, 3B

26. INT. THE RESEARCH ROOM. DAY 2.

157. 1B

Range/Doctor into 2/S

Let Range out U/S

RANGE: ... They've gone!

(HE HURRIES TO THE EDGE OF THE OPEN PIT)

Exploring by the look of it.

THE DOCTOR: Ah, rock analysis ...

(THE DOCTOR PICKS UP A TEST TUBE AND INSPECTS IT WITH A MAGNIFYING GLASS HE TAKES FROM HIS COAT POCKET.

INSET: THROUGH THE MAGNIGYING GLASS WE SEE:

A MISSILE FRAGMENT IMMERSED IN A PALE LIQUID)

Let Doctor U/S

158. 3B

Doctor into 2/S with Range

They look very like Widmanstatten patterns to me /... Which would seem to confirm ...

(MR. RANGE IS LOOKING ANXIOUSLY DOWN INTO THE EXCAVATION AREA.

THE DOCTOR NOTICES MR. RANGE'S UNEASE)

What's the matter?

RANGE: ... I'm afraid they may be in danger down there.

SHOT 158 on CAM. 3 - 2/52 -

THE DOCTOR: Turlough wouldn't risk an unsafe tunnel.

RANGE: ... No, not that. I've suspected for a long time that Captain Revere ordered the quarry closed because of something he found.

THE DOCTOR: What sort of ... something?

RANGE: ... A geological feature, perhaps. Something beneath the surface it might be dangerous to disturb.

1J, 3J

27. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

306. 3 J 2/S / (THE BATTERED FILING CABINET HAS YIELDED UP ITS SECRETS TO BRAZEN, WHO IS FLICKING THROUGH ONE OF THE FILES)

Brazen/Tegan

BRAZEN: So it's Mr Range who has been spreading these rumours.

Let them out

307. 1 J 2/S TEGAN: What rumours? /

Brazen/Tegan

BRAZEN: Disinformation about the status quo.

(TO ONE OF THE ORDERLIES)

Pan him L.

See empty bed f/g

Keep an eye on things down here.

(HE RUNS UP THE STEPS WITH THE FILE TO CONFER WITH THE ORDERLY WHO IS STILL GUARDING THE DOOR.

BUT AS WE PAN TO FOLLOW HIM, PLANTAGENET'S BED COMES INTO OUR SHOT. IT IS NOW EMPTY.

Push down to see Plant. on floor.

WHATEVER STRANGE FORCE IS BEING EXERTED ON HIM IS NOW SO GREAT THAT IT HAS DRAGGED HIS WHOLE LIMP BODY TO THE FLOOR.

- 2/54 -

1J
VIS. F/X AREA IN
27. MEDICAL SHELTER

199. 1J M/S
Plantagenet

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

THE FLOOR AROUND HIM IS BEGINNING TO BREAK UP INTO WORM-HOLES. PLANTAGENET OPENS HIS EYES AND BEGINS TO STRUGGLE.

BUT HIS BODY IS ALREADY SINKING INTO THE FLOOR.

HE TRIES TO CALL OUT, BUT THE SOUND IS VERY FAINT.

BUT TEGAN HEARS IT. SHE COMES RUNNING, TO FIND PLANTAGENET DISAPPEARING BENEATH THE SURFACE OF THE FLOOR)

TEGAN: Plantagenet... Help!

LOCK OFF CAMERA

RECORDING BREAK - Plantagenet removed

(ROLL BACK + MIX)

(SHE BENDS TO HELP HIM, BUT CAN'T LIFT HIM.

SHE WATCHES WITH HORROR AS THE EARTH SUCKS HIM DOWN DRAINING HIS PHYSICAL SHAPE AWAY THROUGH THE STRANGE WORM-HOLES)

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/ADJUST SHOT/

BUT HIS BODY IS ALREADY SINKING INTO THE FLOOR.

HE TRIES TO CALL OUT, BUT THE SOUND IS VERY FAINT./

308. 1 L/S

Tegan

bring her to bed

BUT TEGAN HEARS IT. SHE COMES RUNNING, TO FIND PLANTAGENET DISAPPEARING BENEATH THE SURFACE OF THE FLOOR)

TEGAN: Plantagenet... Help!

/ADJUST SHOT /
/TO MCU TEGAN/

(SHE BENDS TO HELP HIM, BUT CAN'T LIFT HIM.

SHE WATCHES WITH HORROR AS THE EARTH SUCKS HIM DOWN DRAINING HIS PHYSICAL SHAPE AWAY THROUGH THE STRANGE WORM-HOLES)

1G

28. INT. THE TUNNEL SYSTEM. DAY 2.

(R/V AREA)

178. 1G / (NORNA AND TURLOUGH ARE PROCEEDING DOWN THE TUNNEL)

Norna/Turlough into 2/S

NORNA: Bring the light here a minute.

Pan them R.

TURLOUGH: What?

NORNA: The walls are quite different here.

TURLOUGH: Smooth...like glass. We ought to get back.

Pan them L. and let them out

NORNA: In a minute. I want to see where this leads to.

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6A

'RESEARCH ROOM TOWER' LOOKING INTO

29a INT. EXCAVATION AREA. DAY 2.

29. 6A MCU Doctor /(MR RANGE IS UNPACKING A PHOSPHOR LAMP FROM A BOX FULL OF THEM.

HE AGITATES IT, AND IT STARTS TO GLOW.

HE PASSES IT DOWN TO:

THE DOCTOR, WHO HAS CLIMBED DOWN INTO THE EXCAVATION AREA)

RANGE: Are you sure, Doctor? I want to help.

THE DOCTOR: You will, Mr Range. By staying here. These sort of adventures depend on a well-manned home base.

3A

29. INT. EXCAVATION AREA. DAY 2.

25. 3A 2/S / (MR RANGE IS UNPACKING A PHOSPHOR LAMP FROM A BOX FULL OF THEM.

Doctor/Range

HE AGITATES IT, AND IT STARTS TO GLOW.

HE PASSES IT DOWN TO:

THE DOCTOR, WHO HAS CLIMBED DOWN INTO THE EXCAVATION AREA)

RANGE: Are you sure, Doctor? I want to help.

THE DOCTOR: You will, Mr Range. By staying here. These sort of adventures depend on a well-manned home base.

2E, 1D

30. INT. A LARGE CAVE. DAY 2.

115. 1D W/S /

Cam. L. side of cave, seeing f/g pieces. Norna/Turlough in.

(NORNA WALKS INTO A LARGE CAVE.

HER LAMP REFLECTS BACK FROM THE SMOOTH WALLS, GIVING ENOUGH LIGHT TO SEE EASILY.

SEVERAL LARGE SILVER SPHERES ARE POSITIONED ABOUT THE CAVE, AS IF SHE HAS STUMBLED ACROSS A GIANT GAME OF BOWLES)

Track back and R. with them

Let Norna out

(SHE IS EXAMINING THEIR STRANGE CARVED MARKINGS WHEN TURLOUGH APPEARS IN THE ENTRANCE)

TURLOUGH: Can we go back now? Please?/

116. 2E M/S

Norna

117. 1 M/S

Turlough

NORNA: Come on chicken./

(HE LOOKS SO TIMOROUS THAT SHE JUST CAN'T HELP RESPONDING.

HER PEALS OF LAUGHTER ECHO CRUELLY ROUND THE CAVE.

THIS IS TOO MUCH OF A CHALLENGE FOR TURLOUGH TO IGNORE.

HE MARCHES ACROSS THE CAVE TOWARDS THE TUNNEL IN THE OPPOSITE WALL)

/SHOT 117 on CAM 1/ - 2/59 -

118. 2 M/S
A/B

TURLOUGH: I'm not frightened. Just thinking./

119. 1 M/S
A/B

NORNA: I'll leave you to it, then. I'm going on./

TURLOUGH: No, wait. I'm coming.

Pan him R.

(HE PUSHES ON INTO THE TUNNEL.

See them exit

AMUSED, NORNA RUNS AFTER HIM.

Two tractators unwind and follow them

WE HOLD FOR A MOMENT ON ONE OF THE SILVER SPHERES, THEN SLOWLY IT UNROLLS INTO SOMETHING LIKE A HUGE SILVER WOODLOUSE.

AND BEGINS TO MOVE TOWARDS THE TUNNEL THROUGH WHICH THE TWO FRIENDS HAVE JUST LEFT)

1J, 3J, 6D

31. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

309. 3J M/S / (VERY SHAKEN, TEGAN IS SHOWING BRAZEN THE SPOT WHERE PLANTEGENET DISAPPEARS)

Brazen on floor

309a. 1J 2/S /

Brazen/Tegan

TEGAN: It's true. As if something was sucking him through the floor. I must get the Doctor.

(SHE MAKES FOR THE STAIRS.

BRAZEN GRABS HER)

BRAZEN: I don't think so. We're going to need you here.(cont...)

(SUDDENLY THE DOOR AT THE TOP OF THE STEPS BURSTS OPEN.

Track in with Brazen
Pan O/S Cockerill + crowd

A CROWD OF COLONISTS ARE PUSHING AND SHOVING THEIR WAY IN.

WE RECOGNISE COCKERILL AT THE HEAD OF THEM.

AT LEAST ONE MEMBER OF THE CROWD CARRIES A HUGE CUDGEL)

/6 NEXT/

SHOT 309 ON CAM 1 - 2/ 61 -

BRAZEN: (cont) What's the meaning of this crass behaviour?

(BRAZEN BOUNDS UP THE STAIRS)

310. 6D M/S

Brazen

You - Cockerill - what's going on?

311. 1 2/S

Brazen/Cockerill

COCKERILL: I'm trying to control the crowd, sir. There's unrest about our leader.

Push in with Brazen

BRAZEN: You're an Orderly, aren't you. Put a stop to it. That's the meaning of the word.

COCKERILL: They say Plantagenet's dead.

(DURING THIS THE CROWD HAS BEEN BACKING OUT OF THE DOOR AS BRAZEN ADVANCES.

THERE ARE MURMURINGS FROM THEM NOW:

Hold shot as they all exit

"HE'S DEAD, THE LEADER'S DEAD".

BRAZEN STEPS THROUGH THE DOOR OUT INTO:)

1A

32. EXT. THE HIGH STREET. DAY 2.

83. 1A _____ / (BRAZEN STANDS BEFORE THE CROWD)
Brazen + crowd

BRAZEN: And you've come to show them he's alive, I suppose. What do you think this is, man? A waxwork museum?

(BRAZEN SNATCHES THE CUDGEL FROM THE COLONIST BEARING IT AND WAVES IT AT THE CROWD)

There's some right Retrograde material among you lot. Get back to your business.

(BRAZEN THROWS THE CUDGELS CONTEMPTUOUSLY TO THE GROUND)

...and leave Plantagenet and myself to get on with ours.

(THE SUBDUED CROWD BEGINS TO BREAK UP)

1 K

33. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS BRIGHTER/

312. 1 K MLS /(TEGAN IS TRYING TO SLIP UP THE STEPS UNSEEN WHEN ONE OF THE ORDERLIES BEHIND HER SEES WHAT SHE IS DOING AND SHOUTS OUT.

Orderly

Tegan into shot

Pan her R.

TEGAN GRABS THE ELECTRIC CABLES AND USES THEM AS A WEAPON TO WARD OFF THE ORDERLIES. BEHIND HER BRAZEN DESCENDS THE STEPS. SHE LOOKS OVER HER SHOULDER TO SEE HIM CLOSING IN ON HER)

Orderly comes in L.

Brazen in

BRAZEN: We'll have none of that sort of activity. (cont...)

(TEGAN HAS SPUN ROUND TO FACE HIM.

FOR A MOMENT IT SEEMS AS IF SHE MIGHT BE ABOUT TO ELECTROCUTE HIM WITH THE WIRES.

BUT JUST AS HE IS ON THE POINT OF GRABBING HER SHE TOUCHES THE TWO WIRES TOGETHER.

/Q LIGHTS TO/ /GO OUT/

BRAZEN LURCHES BACK FROM THE FLURRY OF SPARKS. THE PHOSPHOR LAMPS GO OUT.

SHOT 312 on CAM 1

2/- 64 -

UNDER COVER OF THE
DARKNESS AND
CONFUSION, TEGAN
HEADS FOR THE DOOR)

BRAZEN: (cont) (OUT OF VIEW)
She's getting away... Stop her.

1A

34. EXT. THE HIGH STREET. DAY 2.

84. 1A / (TEGAN SLAMS THE DOOR ON THEM AND MANAGES TO JAM IT SHUT BY WEDGING THE CUDGEL THROUGH THE TWO IRON RING HANDLES.

Tegan

BRAZEN AND THE ORDERLIES BEGIN TO BEAT ON IT FROM INSIDE)

2H

35. INT. THE TUNNEL SYSTEM. DAY 2.

(SMOOTH) (JUNCTION COMPLEX)

191. 2H / (NORNA AND TURLOUGH ARE PUSHING ON THROUGH THE TUNNEL)

Norna/Turlough into 2/S

Norna,

TURLOUGH: I've seen this sort of thing before, you know. Natural rock, refined... polished.

Let Norna out

Let him back in

NORNA: Where was that?

TURLOUGH: Oh, I can't remember. I've been to a lot of places.

NORNA: But not Frontios.

Let them out

(THEY TURN THE CORNER.

WE LET THEM GO AND PAN.

Pan back to tunnel

See 2 Tractators advancing

TO FIND TWO OF THE GIANT WOODLICE CREATURES IN PURSUIT)

4A, 3A

36. INT. THE COLONY SHIP ENTRANCE. DAY 2.

85. 4A MLS / (TEGAN RUNS TOWARDS THE COLONY SHIP.

Tegan

SUDDENLY SHE STOPS.

THE BODIES OF TWO OF THE ORDERLIES LIE SLUMPED IN THE ENTRANCE.

SHE BACKS AWAY BEHIND THE CRATES.

Colonist into b/g

SEVERAL UNKEMP COLONISTS EMERGE FROM THE SHIP, CARRYING GOODS)

Let Tegan out

86. 3A M/S /

Tegan

TEGAN: (TO HERSELF) Looks like the looting's started.

1G

37. INT. THE TUNNEL SYSTEM. DAY 2.

(R/V AREA)

179. 1G

Doctor into M/S

(THE DOCTOR IS CREEPING ALONG THE TUNNEL.

HE HEARS A SOUND AND DUCKS BACK INTO THE SHADOWS, HIDING THE PHOSPHOR LIGHT UNDER HIS COAT)

Track back with him

Hold frame and let Range into 2/S

RANGE: Doctor... Are you there?

THE DOCTOR: (STEPPING FORWARD) I thought you were supposed to be guarding the rear.

RANGE: It's my daughter, Doctor. I can't let you take all the risk.

Let them out cam. L.

THE DOCTOR: Ah, well. A risk shared is a risk doubled. Come on...

3G, 2H

38. INT. THE TUNNEL SYSTEM. DAY 2.

(SMOOTH) (JUNCTION COMPLEX)

192. 3G 2/S / (NORNA AND TURLOUGH CONTINUE TO EXPLORE THE TUNNEL SYSTEM.

Norna/Turlough

TURLOUGH STOPS ONCE AGAIN TO LOOK INTO THE REFLECTIONS SWIMMING IN THE SMOOTH WALLS)

Track back with her to deep 2/S with Turlough

NORNA: Come on, stop day dreaming.

TURLOUGH: It's more like a nightmare.

(NORNA STOPS BESIDE HIM)

Push in with her

NORNA: What is?

TURLOUGH: It's as if I keep glimpsing something out of the corner of my eye./

193. 2H MCU

Norna

NORNA: Yes, they're funny, these reflections. /

194. 3 MCU

Turlough

TURLOUGH: And there's a word that goes with it. Tractators... that's it.

NORNA: Oh, come on. Just a bit further.

(SHE SUCCEEDS IN GETTING HIM TO MOVE ON DOWN THE TUNNEL.

SHOT 194 on CAM 3

WE LET THEM
GO, AND HEAR
THEIR CONVERSATION
ECHOING BACK TO
US)

TURLOUGH: (OUT OF VIEW)
Tractators... Tractators.

Let Turlough
out

3A

39a EXCAVATION AREA DAY 2.

(TEGAN RUNS IN AND FINDS THE ROOM DESERTED.

SHE LOOKS DOWN INTO THE EXCAVATION AREA)

28. 3A M/S / TEGAN: (CALLING) Doctor! Hello, is there anybody down there? Hey, Doctor!
Tegan

3F

40. INT. THE TUNNEL SYSTEM. DAY 2.

(R/V AREA)

180. 3F 2/S / (THE DOCTOR AND MR RANGE HAVE STOPPED)
Doctor/Range

THE DOCTOR: Sssh!

RANGE: I can't hear anything.

THE DOCTOR: Listen.

(THEY HAVE TURNED TO FACE THE WAY THEY HAVE COME.

BUT THE SOUND THAT STARTLES THEM COMES FROM THE DIRECTION THEY ARE GOING.

IT IS A LOUD SCREAM)

RANGE: I heard that!

(ECHOING FEET ARE RUNNING TOWARDS THEM.

OUT OF THE DARKNESS AHEAD OF THEM RUSHES TURLOUGH, IN A STATE OF TERROR.

THE DOCTOR CATCHES HOLD OF HIM. IN THE LIGHT OF THE PHOSPHOR LAMP MR RANGE HOLDS UP WE SEE THE PETRIFYING TERROR ON THE YOUNG MAN'S FACE)

Turlough into 3/S

SHOT 180 on CAM 3

THE DOCTOR: Turlough! It's me, the Doctor.

TURLOUGH: Tractators... I've seen them.

1K

41. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

/LAMPS NOT SO/
/BRIGHT/

313. 1K G/S /

(THE LIGHTING SYSTEM IS WORKING AGAIN, BUT DIMLY.

BRAZEN IS AT THE TOP OF THE STEPS, ORGANISING HIS ORDERLIES TO SMASH DOWN THE DOOR)

BRAZEN: Get that up here at the double.

(SEVERAL OF THE ORDERLIES ARE MANHANDLING THE HOSPITAL BED IN WHICH WE LAST SAW PLANTAGENET.

IT IS RAPIDLY TRUNDLED UP THE STEPS TO BE USED AS A BATTERING RAM)

1A

41. EXT. MEDICAL SHELTER

(Formerly INT.)

(OOV)

87. 1A _____ / Closed doors

BRAZEN: Somebody open this door. Alright. Get that up here at the double.

3F

42. INT. THE TUNNEL SYSTEM. DAY 2.

(R/V AREA)

181. 3F 3/S / (THE DOCTOR IS LOOKING INTO THE DAZED FACE OF TURLOUGH, WHO IS NOW BEING HELD UPRIGHT BY MR RANGE)

Doctor/Range/ Turlough

THE DOCTOR: Mr. Range, Look after Turlough. I'm going on alone.

Let Doctor out

(HE MOVES OFF)

/SPLIT FEED/
/RECORDING /

1K, 6E

43. INT. THE HOSPITAL. DAY 2.

314. 1K G/S / (BRAZEN'S ORDERLIES SLAM THE END OF THE BED AGAINST THE DOOR.

315. 6E CU / IT CREAKS AND SPLINTERS SLIGHTLY, BUT THE CUDGEL KEEPING IT CLOSED STILL HOLDS)

Exterior of door

1H, 3F

44. INT. THE TUNNEL SYSTEM. DAY 2.
(R/V AREA)

182. 3F 2/S / (MR RANGE IS PROPPING UP TURLOUGH, WHO SEEMS TO BE IN SOME SORT OF COMA.
Range/Turlough

183. 1H 3/S HE HEARS A SOUND FROM THE DIRECTION OF THE ENTRANCE, AND TURNS TO FIND TEGAN APPROACHING)
fav. Tegan as she arrives

184. 3 3/S TEGAN: So here you all are./ (INDICATING TURLOUGH) Is he alright?
as Tegan comes round

RANGE: Yes, I think so.

TEGAN: What happened?

RANGE: I don't know. The Doctor's gone to investigate.

Pan her L. TEGAN: You take care of him. The Doctor may need help.

185. 1 2/S RANGE: No, wait /..
Range/Turlough (BUT SHE HAS GONE)

(GAZING AT TURLOUGH) What happened in there?

Go in gently (SHAKES HIM GENTLY)

Please tell me. Is my daughter safe?

SHOT 185 on CAM 1 - 2/ 78 -

(TURLOUGH JUST
STARES BLANKLY
BACK)

/STRIKE F/G/ /PIECES/

/VIS F/X/ /BOULDER/ /IN/

3D, 2E, 1D

45. INT. A LARGE CAVE. DAY 2.

120. 1D

Norna and Tractators

Pan L. to Doctor as he arrives

(THE DOCTOR PEERS CAUTIOUSLY INTO THE CAVE. IN THE SINISTER GLOW OF HER PHOSPOR LIGHT, RIGID WITH FEAR, NORNA IS SEEN SURROUNDED BY THE WOODLICE CREATURES)

THE DOCTOR: (HISSING TO HIMSELF) So they're Tractators.

(THE CREATURES SEEM TO BE GLOWING FROM THEIR UNDERBELLIES, AND THEIR CONCENTRATION IS EXERTING SOME SORT OF FORCE ON THE GIRL, HOLDING HER IMMOBILE.

121. 2E M/S

Tegan

122. 1 M/S

Doctor

THE DOCTOR HEARS A GASP, AND GLANCES ROUND TO SEE TEGAN STANDING BESIDE HIM)/

(SHOUTING) Get back, Tegan/

123. 2 M/S

Tegan retreating

(ONE OF THE SILVER CREATURES IN THE RING, LARGER THAN THE OTHERS, SEEMS TO BE THE LEADER.

124. 3D Deep 2/S

Doctor/Gravis

125. 2 M/S

Doctor behind rock

SHOT 125 on CAM 2

(DOCTOR HIDES BEHIND ROCK.

2 Tractators in either side of camera.

HE SUDDENLY REALISES TWO TRACTATORS ARE ADVANCING ON HIM FROM A DIFFERENT DIRECTION.

THEY APPROACH AND THE DOCTOR IS HELD BY THEIR FORCE.)

(END OF EP. 2)